

# THE BELLEVUE TIMES

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About fifty names of Pass citizens are attached to the contract, involving the Chautauqua for 1918.

R. O. Allison, of Pincher Creek, is advertising for a school girl. Why don't Mayor Allison get one of his own?

Dr. A. DeMartigny, M.D.C.M., of Frank, has decided to practice at Pincher Creek and opens an office there on September 1st.

The sum of \$277 was realized from the Chautauqua at Vulcan for the Red Cross.

Hugh Gunn and family were up from Brockton to attend the Blairmore Chautauqua.

The home of the bachelor lacks one of the modern improvements. The Methodist District meeting was held at Frank on Tuesday of this week.

## Blairmore Chautauqua A Huge Success

Blairmore's big Chautauqua week is over, and has no doubt left with the endorsement of all who had the privilege of attending. For a time prior to the opening day many people, right from the town's leading knocker to our greatest optimist, doubted somewhat as to the outcome of the venture that had been introduced by some thirty-year-old signatories, but from beginning to end these opinions had reason to be changed so that today the only grouches or fault-finders are those who missed seeing or hearing every performance.

Chautauqua opened on Friday last, when the Junior Chautauque was organized under the auspices of Miss Briggs, an experienced trainer, followed in the afternoon by a most pleasing vocal and instrumental entertainment by the Treble Clef Club and a lecture on "The Art of Happiness" by the genial Chautauqua superintendent, Miss Nola B. Critch.

In the evening a large audience was entertained by the Treble Clef Club and that famous humorist, St. Platt Jones.

The principal features on Saturday last were the lecture by J. Edgar Wallace and J. G. Herberman, both of which were full of interest and eloquence. Many of the ideas voiced by Mr. Herberman in his popular lecture on "Community Building" might well be practised in our community life.

Marion Hallow Fisk in "Kewer Karakara" I have known," on Monday evening was one of the most pleasing numbers of the week. Mrs. Fisk enjoys the distinction of being not only the leading lady cartoonist, but also that her comic character pictures rank with those of the world's greatest cartoon artists. Moran Olson's dramatic reading was indeed pleasing.

Tuesday's programme was heartily received. In the afternoon the Chautauqua orchestra gave a concert, followed by a lecture on "Stories From the Trenches" by Ada L. Ward, otherwise known as Mrs. Grison, a distinguished English artist and war lecturer. For the first time in their lives many people were brought into direct touch with the lives of our soldiers. The evening's performance contained one of the rarest treats of the week, the singing by Miss Olive McCormick. Such a musical treat comes rarely in the lives of any of us, and the beautiful singing and winning personality of Miss McCormick endeared her to her audience. Miss McCormick is possessed of a rare gift and she has the capability of using it to the very best advantage.

Miss Hazel Byram and Miss Ruth Hill, were the musicians on Wednesday afternoon and evening. In the afternoon Francis Labadie recited from the works of Dunsen and Service. In the evening the audience heard what was perhaps the best lecture of the week, "The Reign of the Common People," by Capt. W. J. Hindley, ex-mayor of Spokane and ex-pastor of one of the largest Congregational churches in the Dominion.

On Thursday afternoon the programme was opened by a grand "pageant of all nations," given by over one hundred junior Chautauquans. Miss Briggs deserves the highest praise for her work, and the entertainment given by the little ones after her week's training was a high compliment to her ability. The Waikiki Hawaiian quintette gave a concert prelude, followed by Dr. Carpenter's interesting lecture on "Worlds in the Making." So interested were our people in Dr. Carpenter's talk that

## Daring Breach of Fishery Regulations

Jack Morrison, game and fire warden in the South Fork district, has notified Supervisor Bewley, of Coleman, that some unknown individuals had recently made use of dynamite to get fish from the big canyon near the Mushfelt ranch, and that large numbers of dead fish have been seen floating down this stream.

Large and rainbow trout of very large variety frequent this canyon, which is a very difficult place of access for the angler, and it is a great pity that wanton destruction should continue and the guilty parties escape justice.

Every year about this time, evidence of dynamite having been used has presented itself, but so far the culprits have escaped.

## New Elko Copper Company Promoted

J. L. Parker, of Leo Lake, has taken over the big copper mine at Elko, B.C., in which the following are also interested: P. Burns, packer, Calgary; A. E. Cross, broker, Calgary; J. W. Davidson, capitalist, Calgary; E. H. Goodwin, capitalist, Calgary; Light-Glover, B. G. Bry, Edmonton; Major Harold Daly, Ottawa; Dr. Galbraith, Lethbridge; George Kelloway, Calgary. The new company are very optimistic over their new venture. The ore runs at 6 to 7 per cent copper, and after paying for smelting and railway charges will leave 324 per cent.

The mine has shipped three hundred and fifty tons of ore lately, raising the above values, and a contract has been let to haul the ore and landing same into railway cars at a rate of \$1.35 per ton. It is expected that about 200 tons per month will be shipped to start with, which will be increased gradually to 1,200 tons per month.

At present a tunnel is being driven two hundred feet below the old tunnel where they expect to strike the vein in about two feet, and as soon as the two tunnels can be connected ore will be shipped at the rate of forty tons per day.

Arrangements are being made to build a gravity tram, 1,250 feet long, and to have it in operation in two months time.

## Central Union Church

Service on Sundays, morning at 11:30, evening at 7:30.  
Sunday School meets at 10:30 a.m.  
John Fitch, Pastor.

Some people have weak eyes just because they are located in a weak place.

next morning they came back telling us of life in the clouds.

The largest audience of the week was that of last night, when about one thousand people thronged the big tent to greet the Hawaiian quintette, and on this occasion, as on all others, none were disappointed. The playing of the leader of the quintette on the steel guitar was a wonderful interpretation of Hawaiian music, and the enthusiasm of the audience rose to a great height as they recalled him again and again.

Towards the close, Mr. W. Shaw, as chairman of the local committee, made a fitting speech, in which he voiced the appreciation of the people of The Pass in their first Christmas and the hope for a return visit next year.

## Pay-Day Specials

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Barley, 10c pound. Sage and Tapioca 15c pound  
Split Peas 2 pounds 25c. Dry Green Peas 2 pounds 25c  
Prunes 15c pound. Sultana Raisins 20c pound. Currants 25c pkg.  
Coconut 35c pound. Cooking Figs 15c pound  
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Little Rose Glycerine Soap 10c. Pearlina Washing Powder 10c  
Old Dutch Cleanser 10c. Liquid Stove Polish 15c bottle  
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## Opening of Agricultural School at Claresholm

The Provincial Agricultural School at Claresholm will re-open Tuesday, October 30th, 1917.

Courses are offered in Practical Agriculture and Household Science.  
No entrance examination is required.  
The course is absolutely free.  
The minimum age of admission for boys is fifteen, and for girls sixteen.  
Prospective students should apply at once.  
For calendar and further particulars, communicate with Honorable Duncan Marshall, Minister of Agriculture, Edmonton, or  
W. J. Stephens, B.A., B.S.A.,  
Principal School of Agriculture, Claresholm.

## New Granaries 'Rap

In these war days, when the question of the Canadian grain supply is so much in the public mind, when the Western crop has become a vital factor in the national life of Canada and a rigid supervision is being exercised by the Dominion Government over the disposal of our wheat, it is perhaps important that the extent and location of the many granaries of the Prairie Provinces should be thoroughly known and appreciated by the general public as well as to those more directly interested.

A new edition of an official publication of the Government, which will tend to effect this purpose has just been issued by the Natural Resources Intelligence Branch of the Department of the Interior, Ottawa.

This consists of a map of the Provinces of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta showing the position of each city or town containing one or more grain elevators.

intendent, Natural Resources Intelligence Branch, Department of the Interior, Ottawa.

## Anglican Church

Service on Sunday will be at 11 a.m., conducted by the Rev. H. Clay. The subject of the address will be "Our Need of Grace and How to Obtain It."

Sunday School will be at 2:30, superintendent Mrs. F. Wright.

A hearty welcome to all.  
The Bishop of Calgary has again promised to hold a Confirmation in the Parish, and will visit us on Sunday, October 21st, for this purpose. Any children or adults who desire to be confirmed are asked to give in their names to the incumbent in order that classes of instruction may be arranged for.

## July Contributions From Rocky Mountains Constituency

During the month of July, 1917, the Constituency of Rocky Mountains contributed the following amounts to the Canadian Patriotic Fund: South Alberta Branch:

Blairmore	\$150.00
Bankhead	100.00
Bellevue	137.50
Band	350.00
Coleman	85.41
Campore	100.75
	\$1,013.66











**Narrow Shave for****S. Alberta Clergy**

Messrs. Hardy and Smith, late of Foreman and Lundbeck respectively had something of a thrill recently. They sailed from Montreal in the M. and when nearing the English coast, according to Mr. Hardy's letter, a torpedo was observed tearing through the water straight for the ship. Whether the submarine was visible was not informed. Fortunately the chief officer, seeing the monster of destruction in time, quickly took the wheel himself with the result that the ship veered round and the torpedo passed across the wash of the vessel under the log tops. The voyagers heard later by wireless that another large ship had been torpedoed that same afternoon but hoped to keep aloft. —Bow Island Review.

**Eleven Years Ago**

(From the Blainmore Times, 1909.)  
Sept. 22—Several tenders are invited by the Secretary-Treasurer, L. Smith, for the erecting and heating of a frame schoolhouse with stone basement in the Village of Blainmore.

William Elliott has taken over the studio in Blainmore, formerly conducted by O. W. Ingham.

The old ferry barn on Sixth Avenue, at the rear of the Blainmore Hotel, is to be torn down and a fine large ferry stable is to be erected at once to replace it.

Two Alpine climbers will scale Old Man Samson.

Mr. William Lyons, of Pincher Creek, is taking a bath at the Sanatorium this week.

Sept. 22—The Union Bank of Canada has made arrangements to open a branch in Blainmore and has leased the room adjoining W. A. Beebe's office as its location.

The Union Bank of Canada will shortly open a branch at Cochrane.

Agent Sweeney, of the Union Bakery, is having a handsome cottage erected on Stuart Street.

The new store building at Bellevue, which will be occupied by Messrs. Lang and Burnett, is now completed.

Mrs. On returned Wednesday from Victoria, where she went to meet her late husband's daughter on their arrival from China.

Rev. R. A. Robinson has resigned his pastorate at Coleman to accept a call to Lacombe. He will be succeeded by the Rev. E. D. Waples, a graduate of King's College, Windsor, N.S.

C. L. Whelan, of Fernie, was a visitor in Blainmore this week. Mr. Whelan is making arrangements for a glove contest to be pulled off here between "Black Diamond" Thomas, of Fernie, and James Burrows, of Coleman.

October 15—The Blainmore hotel was closed this week and is now ready for the painter.

Born in Winnipeg, on Wednesday, October 3, to the wife of A. A. Sparks, a daughter.

The inauguration at Coleman has been completed, and is as neat a station as can be found along the line of the C.P.R. West.

This week D. C. Drasin, the enterprising proprietor of the Blainmore, put an up-to-date pool table into operation in his hotel. "Ratone" is already there in providing amusement and comfort for his patrons.

Sunday morning at 11 Rev. Robinson will hold his last service here.

Thursday over 1800 tons of coal were mined, screened, picked and shipped from the Coleman mine.

In Lillo on Sunday last, at the residence of W. A. Jones, the Rev. R. A. Robinson performed the ceremony that bound for life L. C. Cameron and Miss Florence Courtney, both of Frank.

The new battery of coke ovens at Coleman is rapidly nearing completion and will be ready to put into operation by the middle of next month. At present this company is turning out daily 120 tons of first-class coke, and when the new ovens are fired up they will be able to make capacity of fully 200 tons per day.

L. W. Kiba is erecting a house in the new town of Pincher Station, and will put in a stock of fish and heavy hardware.

October 20—Found, between Frank and Bellevue, a purse containing money. Owner can have same by proving property and applying to C. McLean.

The Frank Wine and Spirit Co. will open up for business next week.

Rev. R. A. Robinson left Wednesday for Lacombe, where he has assumed charge of the Episcopal church.

The glove contest pulled off at the opera house last night between Jim Burrows, of Coleman, and T. McEwen, of Detroit, Mich., was a first-class mill. Though it was a first-class mill, it was not a first-class champion of the Northwest, as putting his men down and out in the

# SHOES! SHOES!

We will offer for sale at Extra Special Prices on  
**SATURDAY and MONDAY**  
August 18 and 20, the following articles:

## Shoes For The Miner

**Men's Classy Calf Derby Shoe** Laced Linen, machine sewn, heavy sole, good fitting. Only a few pairs to clear at **\$3.75**

**Men's Box-Calf, Blucher-Cut**, Standard heavy sole, will stand lots of wear. Only a few pairs left, will be sold on Saturday and Monday only **\$3.25**

**Men's Low-Cut Miners Shoe**, Made of extra heavy cowhide split, solid leather throughout. The First Shoe for the money. Saturday and Monday only **\$3.50**

**Men's 8-inch Top Tan Leather Foxing** Heavy Chrome upper, standard newwelt and Hungarian nailed. Antlered, better Shoe. Ask to see No. 629. Saturday & Monday special **\$7.50**

## Shoes For The Rancher

**Flee, Look Here!!!**  
Are you looking in at glass or along muddy roads, or are you thinking of two feet of snow? Then we have the finest. Practical "Shoe" in the West. How you are—Men's Black Chrome, waterproof uppers, 12-inch high, oak-bark tanned soles, welted with double-stitched welt, white laced strap from heel of foot to top of shoe. Lighter out with waterproofing—Really a "Tough" of a Shoe. Come and see them. Today's value \$12.00. Our Price **\$5.50**

**To The Rancher's Wife** Do you want a Shoe to help you in the harvest? Come in and ask for our Cote's Special, in lace and button. A light split with machine sewed sole, at **\$3.75**

**Men's Russian Calf & Whyte's Box Calf** Laced and Buttoned Oxford. Those Oxfords, made of the best material ever put into Shoes. Only a few pairs to clear on Saturday and Monday at **\$3.95**  
No pinch in these shoes, but The Low Price Pinches

**Here is Another One The Famous "K"** Good Special from the Black Cat, waterproof English make, 12-inch top, full waterproofed canvas, solid extra strong double sole. This shoe is sure a water resister. Come in and we will show you them.  
Wherever the Union Jack flies there you find the "K" Shoe.  
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## Shoes For School Children

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Protect your children's feet and buy their shoes at the only practical shoe store in the city.

**To The Father with Boys.** Nature decreed, and we were born, and we know the things. Shoes are subject to. We have made a special study of Boys' shoes and taken extra care to buy the best leathers on the market. Our special school shoe, Williams' "V" leather shoe, with extra heavy sole, made to wear well. Price from **\$3.00 up**

**Children's Button Shoes** Patent leather, Gobaby, white kid tops, flexible oak bark tan soles, spring heels, excellent wearers. Sizes 2 to 7. Regular Price **\$1.95**  
Children's Patent Button Shoes brown leather tops, flexible sole, spring heels, neat and dressy. Sizes 3 to 7. Regular price \$2.25. Sale **\$1.95**

**Children's Sandals:** Brown calf, one strap, "mum" style, sizes 7 1/2 to 10. Regular **\$1.50**. Sale price **\$1.40**  
**Children's Sandals:** sizes 11 to 2. Regular price \$2.50. Sale price **\$1.65**

In placing before you this list of Boots and Shoes, we would respectfully remind you of the great increase in every detail of manufacture. In our buying we have expert knowledge, and our greatest concern is to buy the very best at the cheapest price possible. The prices above represent a saving of at least 25 per cent. of today's quotations and we are more than pleased to have you enjoy the benefit. Come early and select your requirements from the best and largest assorted stock of High Grade Shoes in The Pass

## Haddad Bros. - Bellevue

third round.

The Union Bank of Canada will open up their branch here on Thursday next, under the management of H. D. Smith, late of Lethbridge.

**Frank Happenings**

Miss Vina Picard, of Beaver Mines, is spending a few days with friends here.

Here, on Thursday afternoon, to Mr. and Mrs. Elliott, a son. Congratulations.

Mrs. N. Niven is spending a few days at Bellevue with her daughter, Mrs. E. C. MacDonald.

Mrs. Thersault, of Beaver Mines, is visiting her son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hillon.

R. Niven left Sunday morning with E. C. MacDonald, of Bellevue, to spend a week fishing along the North Fork river.

A house is being fitted up in the residential part of the town, to be occupied by the parties to a happy contract to be entered into at Calgary shortly.

John Brown and family, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. A. Shorridge, returned to South Fork on Sunday for a few days fishing.

Frank people are loud in praise of the programmes presented by the Chautauque at Blainmore during the week and strongly endorse the invitation for a return visit next year.

Fred Raynor, formerly of Frank, now of Lethbridge, is spending a few days with friends here prior to leaving Sunday morning on a few days' fishing-trip up the North Fork.

The I.W.W. man, who for a few days was a patient at the local N.W.M.P. hospital for evil doers, was taken to Lethbridge by Sgt. Grant last week, where after making the necessary deposit to guarantee his good behaviour while in the Dominion he was allowed out on condition that he waste no time in getting back to the land of Uncle Sam.

All Spain is now under martial law.

**Vimy Ridge**

The following poem was written by a volunteer from Red Deer, who is serving at the front.  
Vimy Ridge, we'll never forget it.  
We'll never forget that blood red field.  
Where our soldiers fought so bravely.  
Fought, Britannia's flag to shield.  
Brave fellows fell, in death victorious.  
Some were aging, some were young.  
Never one died without the sacrifice.  
To keep the Union Jack far flung.  
Bright young ladies, just from High School.  
Men, with life's course in the prime.  
As they left their homes and loved ones.  
To join the glorious "Allied" line.  
How the shrapnel rained upon them.  
How the bullets sped fast death.  
Still they fought with dying breath.  
How the horrid shells came shrieking.  
Ripped and tore the very earth.  
Whistled round our gallant lads.  
As if they mocked and loved them.  
Soldiers saw their comrades shattered.  
Saw them blown to bits;  
Sumbling up the heavy toll.  
The gall they soon would ask of Brits.  
Soldiers saw that comrades shattered.  
Condemned that they loved so well;  
Saw them give their life so freely

In that seething surging hell.

Still they kept up sniffling faces,  
Died, scarce knowing they were hit.  
Cheerfully they gave their greatest,  
Determined sure "to do their bit."

Terrible the field of battle,  
Terrible the gory slain,  
Dying, wounded, all around them,  
But they fought and fought again.

That was where the brave Canadians  
Made the sacrifice again,  
Though it cost them, age so dearly,  
We know it was not in vain.

Vimy Ridge? yes, we remember,  
Its echoes roll from day to night.  
One more column deeply noted,  
At the door of victory.

The province of Alberta has thus far this year issued 17,700 automobile licenses. In the year 1916 the number issued was 9,703, and in 1900 an 41.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Alie have just received word that their son Henry Raymond, who has seen several months' fighting in the trenches, had been declared as unfit for further service and was now enroute across the water towards his home in Blainmore. Pte. Raymond went overseas with the Lethbridge kiln battalion.

**Cowley Happenings**

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Holgren, a daughter.

Elwin Tustian, of Hillcrest, was a week-end visitor here.

D. R. McIvor has returned home after attending the Liberal convention at Winnipeg.

Under the doctor's advice, Miss Helen Morrison is confined to her bed for a week.

Master Stanley Emerson spent the week end visiting his uncle at Pincher Station.

Mr. Morrow has returned from Lethbridge, after having accompanied Mr. Paul to the hospital.

Edward Franz has undergone an operation for appendicitis in the Memorial Hospital at Pincher Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Goddard, of Mearns, are up for a visit with their sons who have been here since the early part of the year.

R. Blackburn and wife, of near Spokane, motored through town on Wednesday, on their way to visit friends in the Kootenay district.

Mrs. McEwen recently received a letter from Kenneth McLean, stating that he had been married, but is well now and has a job at the base and does not expect to return to the trenches again.

We regret to say that R. P. Paul is laid up in the Lethbridge hospital, very seriously ill with abscess of the brain. We learn that he sustained an operation, and there is a faint hope for his recovery. Mrs. Paul and their daughter, Mrs. Tupper, are with him, anxiously awaiting the turning point, which we sincerely hope will be for the better.

Rev. W. M. Chalmers, B.A., being in poor health and thinking a change would do him good, has accepted a call to Manitoba and will be with us only two more short weeks. He will deliver his farewell sermon on the 26th of August. Both Mr. and Mrs. Chalmers will be sorely missed, as both have been earnest workers, and as their one ambition has been with the best of the people, the vacancy will be hard to fill. Mr. Chalmers has not only filled the pulpitably, but has taken a keen interest in all affairs that were to build and uplift. He has always been ready to lend a helping hand wherever needed, while his sympathy and cheerfulness could brighten the most despondent. It is his good nature and social ability that has won for him a host of friends, who will greatly miss him; but we feel our loss will be the gain of others in his new field of labor, and though absent from us in person, his influence will long be felt here.

**Bellevue Happenings**

Mr. Horne has moved his family to Blainmore.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Coupland, a son.

Jack Fraser autored to Lethbridge to attend the stampede.

E. C. MacDonald spent a few days fishing at North Fork.

Mrs. Muehlstein was in from the South Fork during the week.

Mrs. J. Callan and son are spending a few days at Creston.

Pte. A. Bursey returned to the Ogden House at Calgary this week.

T. M. Barnett attended the stampede at Lethbridge this week.

Mrs. Neidig, of Lethbridge, was visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Rood, this week.

Mrs. A. Manuel, of Creston, spent a few days here, visiting with Mrs. James Callan.

The Rev. J. B. Francis spent a couple of days in Bellevue visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. Hunsbelle.

Large numbers of Bellevue people attended the Chautauque exercises at Blainmore during the week.

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